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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ENRG, US, TC

SUBJ: BRIEFING OF OIL PRODUCERS ON MARTINIQUE CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 2324

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FOR AMBASSADOR FOR ATHERTON

WE NOTE FROM SPOKESMAN BRIEFING REFTEL THAT LETTERS HAVE BEEN SENT TO SEVERAL OIL PRODUCERS BRIEFING THEM ON RESULTS MARTINIQUE MEETING. I HAVE BECOME INCREASINGLY CONCERNED THAT WE ARE NOT DOING ENOUGH TO GIVE UAEG TIMELY BRIEFINGS WHEN WE CAN ON DEVELOPMENTS IN US POLICY THAT ARE OF VITAL CONCERN TO THEM. MARTINIQUE MEETING REGARDED HERE AS POSITIVE DEVELOPMENT WHICH WOULD MAKE IT PARTICULARLY APPROPRIATE OCCASION TO TAKE UAEG INTO OUR CONFIDENCE TO EXTENT WE CAN. WHILE WE OF COURSE RECOGNIZE THAT WE MAY WISH TO BE MORE FORTH-COMING IN THIS RESPECT WITH CERTAIN OTHER GOVERNMENTS, COULD NOT DEPARTMENT AT LEAST DEVISE GUIDANCE WHICH COULD BECOME BASIS FOR ORAL BRIEFING TO MINS PETROLEUM AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS HERE (AS WELL AS POSSIBLE OTHER GOVERNMENTS THAT HAVE NOT QUALIFIED FOR LETTER TREATMENT)? UAEG WILL NOW SEE FROM PRESS WHAT WE HAVE COMMUNICATED WITH SOME GOVERNMENT MAKING OUR FAILURE TO DO SO HERE ALL THE MORE NOTED.  
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